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### NOTIFICATION OF ABANDONMENT

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1.  Applicant's letter of express abandonment received \_\_\_\_\_ is in compliance with  
CFR 1.138 and is hereby acknowledged.
2.  Applicant has failed to provide the full U.S. Basic National Fee by  20 months (37 CFR 1.494(b)(2)),  
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3.  Applicant has failed to respond to the notification of MISSING REQUIREMENTS (Form  
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5.  Other.

Therefore, the above identified application failed to meet the requirements of 35 U.S.C 371 and 37 CFR  1.494,  
 1.495 and is ABANDONED AS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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